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First, the [REDACTED] at issue falls within the applicable statutory definitions of "pen register" and "trap and trace device."² With regard to communications from a [REDACTED], it constitutes "a device or process which records or decodes dialing, routing, addressing, or signaling information transmitted by an instrument or facility from which a wire or electronic communication is transmitted," within the definition of "pen register" at 18 U.S.C. § 3127(3). [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Consistent with these definitions, the information obtained by the [REDACTED] does not "include the contents of any communication." *Id.* § 3127(3)-(4).³

Upon application of the government pursuant to 50 U.S.C. § 1842,⁴ the FISC may enter an order "approving the installation and use of a pen register or trap and trace device if the judge finds that the application satisfies the requirements" of that section. 50 U.S.C. § 1842(d)(1) (emphasis added). The fair import of section 1842(d)(1) is that, upon making the required finding, the FISC may issue an order authorizing the government to [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] The pen register/trap and trace process in this case requires that the [REDACTED] and the government has represented that [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] Memorandum of Law submitted in this docket at pages 5-6.

² For purposes of 50 U.S.C. § 1842, "pen register" and "trap and trace device" have the meanings given such terms in 18 U.S.C. § 3127. *See* 50 U.S.C. § 1841(2).

³ For purposes of these definitions, "contents" "includes any information concerning the substance, purport, or meaning" of a communication. 18 U.S.C. § 2510(8).

⁴ Section 1842 applies by its terms, "[n]otwithstanding any other provision of law," 50 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(1), and "in addition to the authority" under 50 U.S.C. §§ 1801-1811 to conduct electronic surveillance. 50 U.S.C. § 1842(a)(1).

⁵ [REDACTED]

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Under these circumstances, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] may be – and in this case is – authorized by the FISC under § 1842(d)(1).⁶

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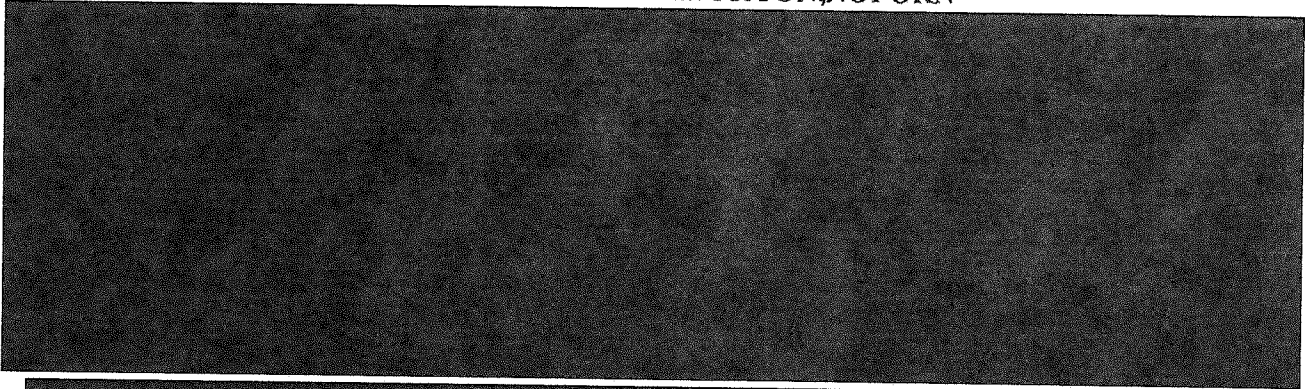
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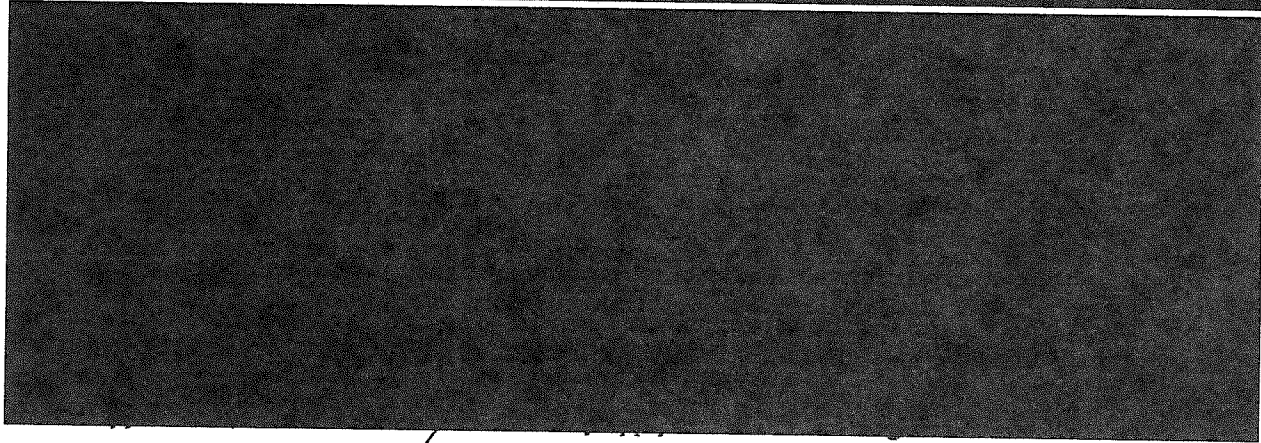
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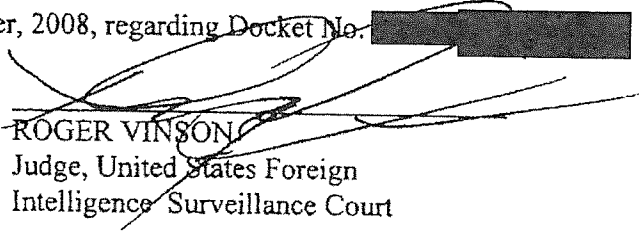
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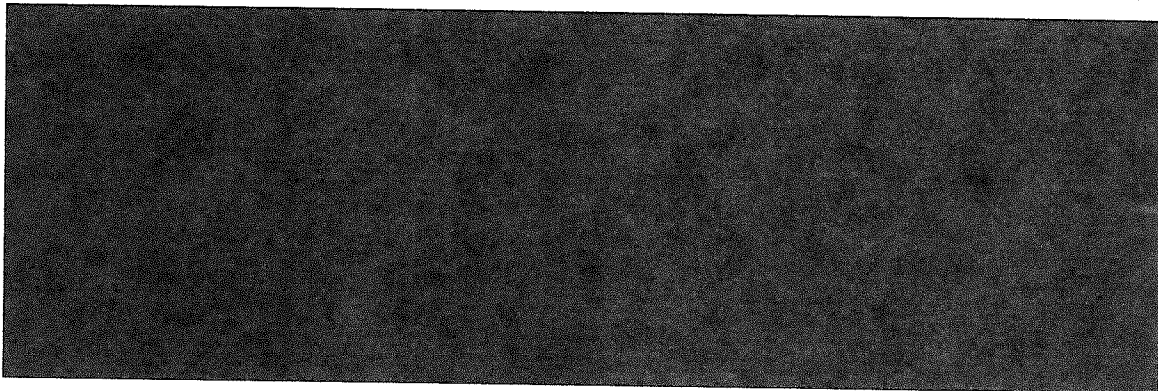


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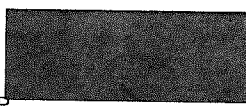

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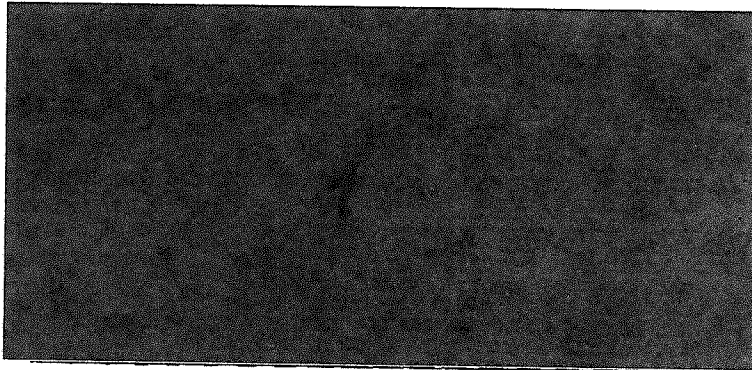
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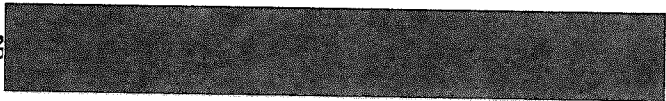
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PRIMARY ORDER

A verified application having been made, pursuant to the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act of 1978, as amended (the Act), Title 50, United States Code (U.S.C.), §§ 1801-1811, 1841-1846, for an order authorizing the installation and use of pen register and trap and trace devices regarding  non-U.S. persons, and full consideration having been given to the matters set forth therein, the Court finds that the application of the United States satisfies the requirements of the Act, in that:

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(1) the application has been made by an attorney assigned to the National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, designated to make applications under the Act and the applicant has certified that the information likely to be obtained from the requested pen register and trap and trace devices is foreign intelligence information not concerning a U.S. person;

(2) the Attorney General has approved the application;

(3) the federal officer seeking to use the pen register and trap and trace devices covered by this application is [REDACTED] an Acting Supervisory Special Agent (Acting SSA) temporarily assigned to the Electronic Surveillance Operations and Sharing Unit (EOPS) of the Communications Exploitation Section in the Federal Bureau of Investigation's (FBI) Counterterrorism Division at FBI Headquarters, Washington, D.C.; and therefore

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IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, pursuant to the authority conferred on this Court by the Act, that the application is GRANTED, and it is

FURTHER ORDERED, as follows

Installation and use of pen register and trap and trace devices are authorized regarding [REDACTED]

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1) The pen register and trap and trace device(s) shall be attached or applied, with no geographic limits or restrictions within the United States, to the following account, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(a) [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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2) Installation and use of one or more pen registers and trap and trace devices to collect all dialing, routing, addressing and signaling information reasonably likely to identify the sources of electronic communications directed to, and the destination of electronic communications originating from, the facilities specified in paragraph 1, above, including [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] but not the contents of such communications as defined by 18 U.S.C. § 2510(8), are authorized as follows:

3) In connection with this pen register and trap and trace surveillance, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] the FBI [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] as described in the

Memoranda of Law submitted by the Government in Docket No. [REDACTED] and in this

docket. The FBI, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED] provided, however, [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(a) are authorized only to the extent necessary to accomplish [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

(b) shall not result in the [REDACTED]

and

(c) may only be conducted when [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

Subject to the above-stated

requirements, the Government is authorized to acquire the pen register and trap and

trace information [REDACTED]

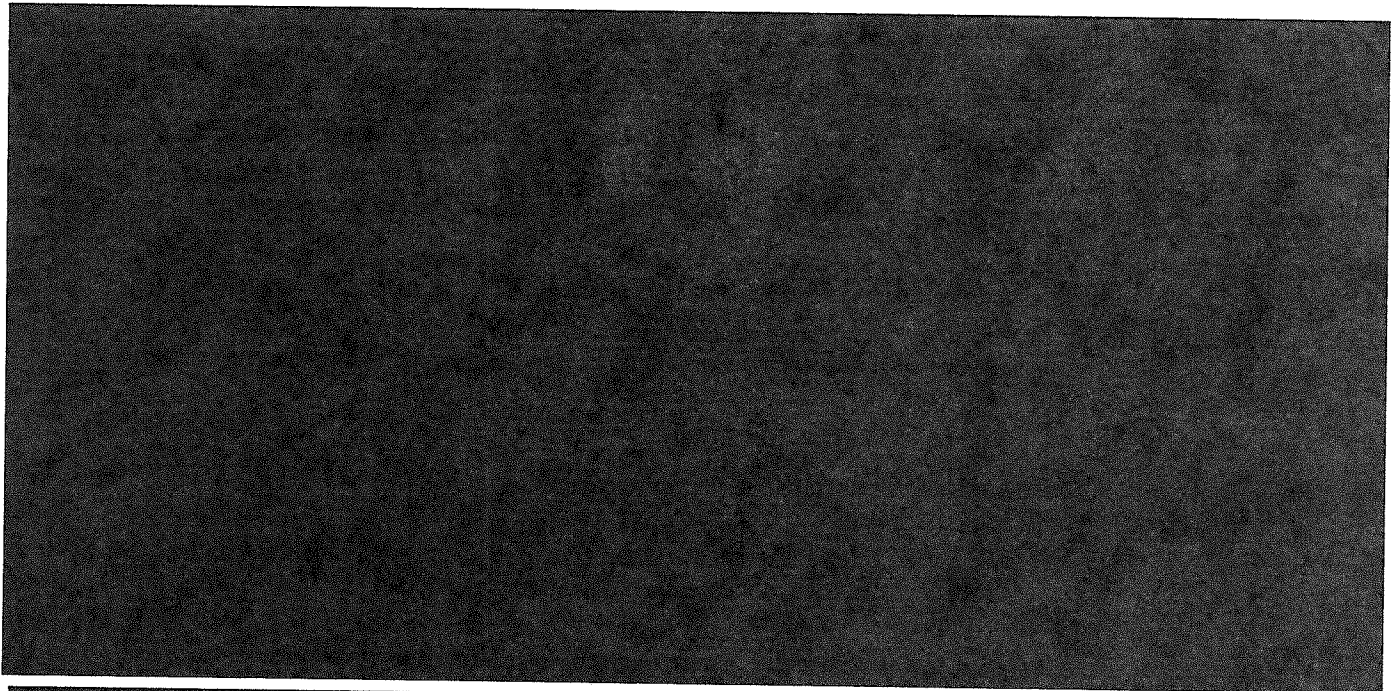
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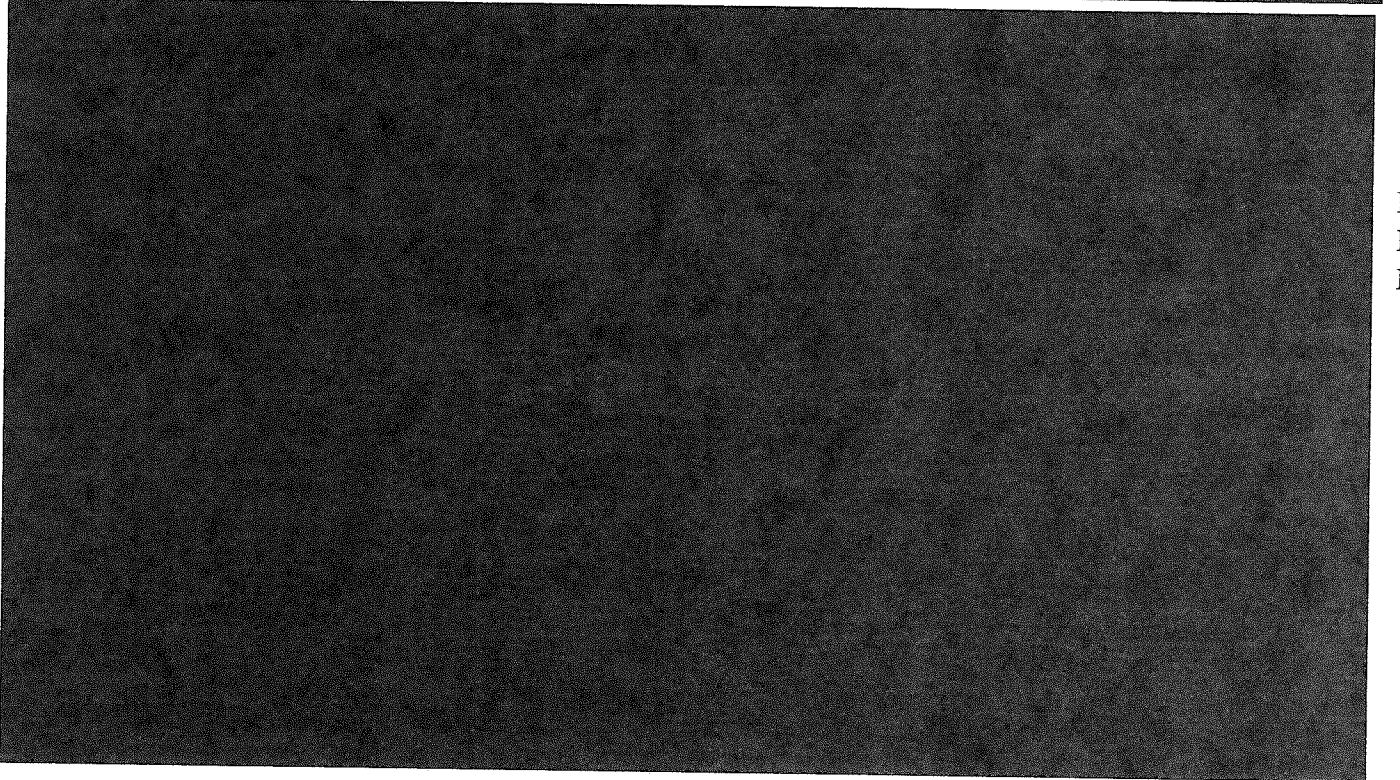
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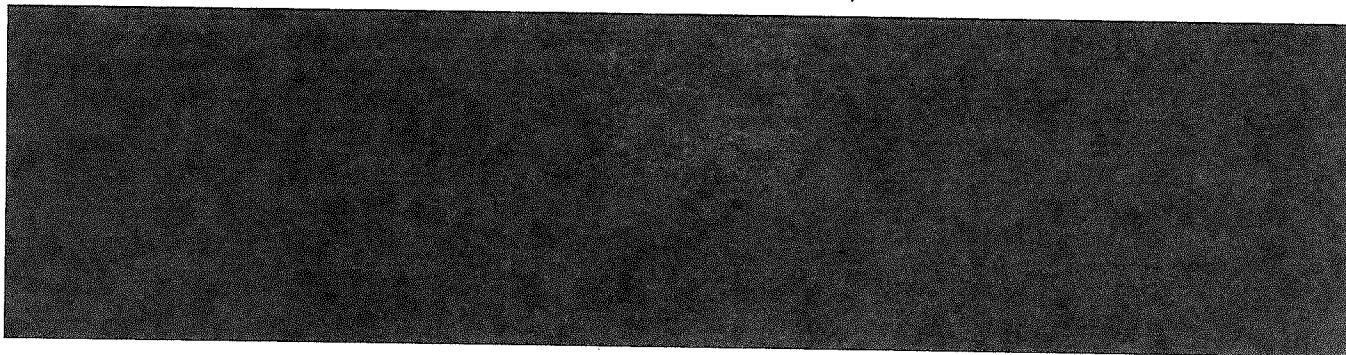
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